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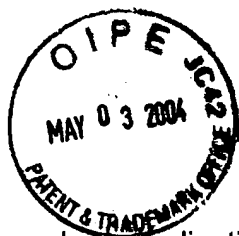
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for entry in the above-identified application.

X Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

X No additional fee is required.

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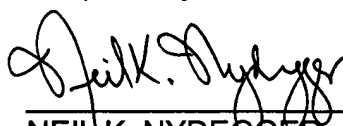
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X The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1519, pertaining to i) any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims; ii) any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. Copies in triplicate of this sheet are enclosed.

X Any additional extension of time required for the timely submission of this paper, the fees for which have not been previously paid, is hereby petitioned for and requested.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated March 8, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expires on June 8, 2004, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.